

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1233
By Shepard

A RESOLUTION to recognize Kendall M. Lynch, D.Ph. on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of service; and

WHEREAS, Kendall Matthew Lynch, D.Ph., served admirably as Executive Director of the Tennessee Board of Pharmacy from October of 1995 until December 31, 2005; he has taken a much deserved retirement from that position, having earned the respect of his associates, his clients, and his community for the exceptional quality of his service; and

WHEREAS, a native Nashvillian, Dr. Kendall Lynch completed the Pre-Pharmacy curriculum at Middle Tennessee State University (MTSU) and earned a bachelor's degree in Pharmacy from the University of Tennessee (UT) College of Pharmacy; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Lynch has served Tennesseans as a pharmacist since his graduation in 1962; he has also served as a volunteer faculty member for the UT College of Pharmacy and is a past member of the Alumni Association Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Lynch has been affiliated with Knight Drug Company in Nashville since 1962, and was owner and president from May 1978 until October 1995; and

WHEREAS, throughout his career, he has been active in numerous local, state, and national professional organizations and has served in several leadership capacities for the Middle Tennessee Society of Pharmacists, including serving as President of the Tennessee Pharmacists Association in 1977; during his tenure as president, the Tennessee PharmPAC was organized; and

WHEREAS, a vital member of his profession, Dr. Kendall Lynch has also served as a member of several committees of the National Association of Retail Druggists (NARD) and as a

Vice Chair, Secretary, and member of both the finance and personnel committees of the Metropolitan Board of Hospital Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, Kendall Lynch is an active and devout communicant of St. George's Episcopal Church in Nashville, which he has served faithfully for many years; and

WHEREAS, his professional accomplishments notwithstanding, Dr. Lynch is most grateful for the love and support of his wife, Carole; together they enjoy golf, travel, and wine appreciation; and

WHEREAS, Dr. and Mrs. Lynch have been blessed with three devoted children; Keri, a nurse; Lara, an interior decorator; and Sarah, a UT graduate who is currently at MTSU working on her teaching certificate; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Kendall Lynch has contributed greatly to the advancement and improvement of the profession of Pharmacy in his capacity as Executive Director of the Tennessee Board of Pharmacy; while protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of this State, he has promoted the Tennessee Board of Pharmacy as an agency of support for the pharmacists of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Lynch exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout his estimable career, Dr. Lynch has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled admiration of all who are fortunate to know him; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and recognize Dr. Kendall Matthew Lynch for his meritorious service to the Tennessee Board of Pharmacy, the citizens of Nashville, and the great State of Tennessee, and extend to him our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.